

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
MATTHEW A. PURDY

Serial No.: 10/810,037

Filed: March 26, 2004

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PREDICTING YIELD PARAMETERS  
BASED ON FAULT CLASSIFICATION

Confirmation: 8441

Group Art Unit: 2113

Examiner: Marc M. Duncan

Atty Docket: 2000.113500/TT5607

Customer No.: 92585

**MAIL STOP RCE**  
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

1.  Submission required under 37 C.F.R. 1.114
  - a.  Previously submitted
    - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendments referred to above will be entered).
    - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  Enclosed
    - i.  Amendment/Reply      iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declarations      iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. Miscellaneous

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

- b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(c) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2000.113500:

- i.  RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)  
ii.  Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17)  
iii.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

- b.  Check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

- c.  Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: June 22, 2010

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